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Re: Application of Trinh T. PHUNG and William LO  
 METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING DATA TRANSFER  
 BETWEEN EEPROM AND A PHYSICAL LAYER DEVICE  
 Assignee: **MARVELL INTERNATIONAL LTD.**  
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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 29 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheet(s) of drawings, copies of two executed Assignments and two PTO 1595 forms, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Application Data Sheet, an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified), and Non-Publication Request.

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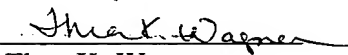
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